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WAS IT A VERY GOOD YEAR . . . ?

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An Inspiration

And

A Winner!

To an outstanding leader who deserves our admiration and gratitude for promoting good sportsmanship and who is liked by all - we the annual staff of 71-72 dedicate this issue of "Reflections" to

Coach Doug Simmons

He came to West Concord with a new spirit and enthusiasm, which has made this a most exciting and memorable year for all.

Golden Memories

With the golden sunlight
Shining radiantly through
the windows of the classroom
We look back through
the days that have so
swiftly passed.

Days of panic and uncertainty —
Days of eagerness and excitement,
But most of all days filled with
laughter and joy.

These golden memories will be
treasured throughout the many
roads of life.
As we look into the bright of the
future with hope and determination
We see a life of challenges and decisions.
Success and happiness.
These golden memories of the past
will reflect upon the paths
of the future.

— Susan Tate —

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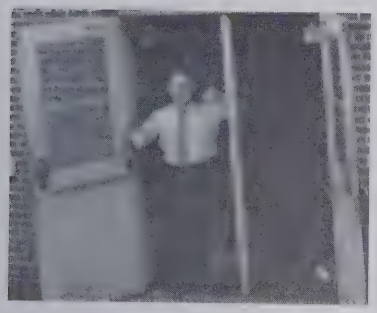

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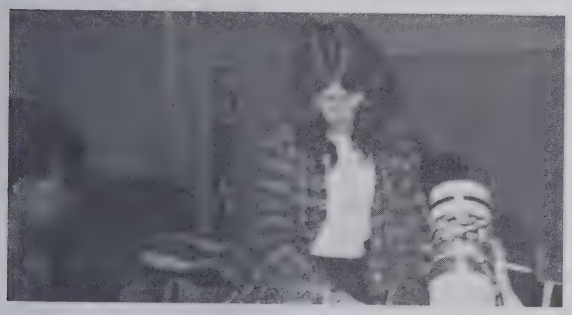

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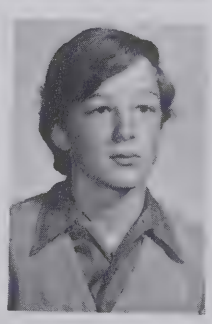

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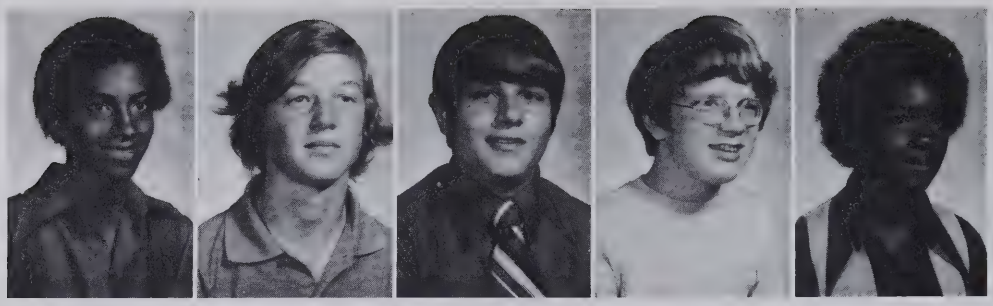

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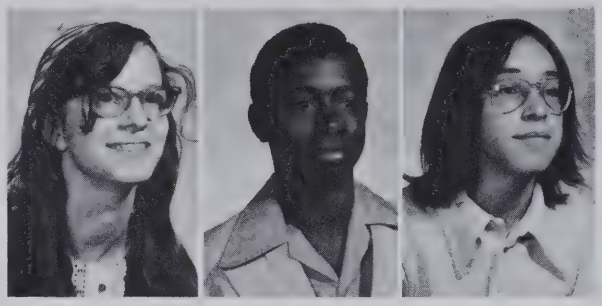

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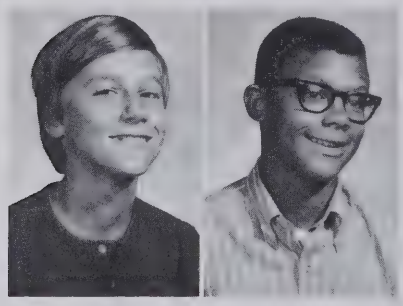

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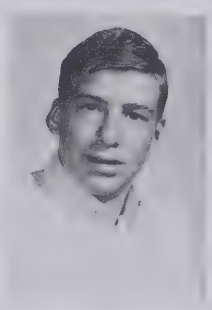

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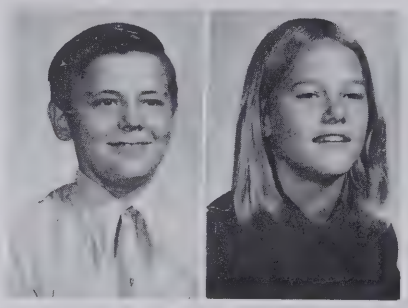

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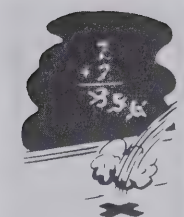

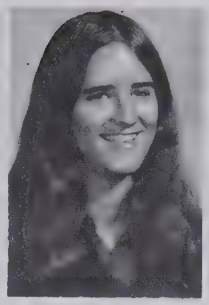

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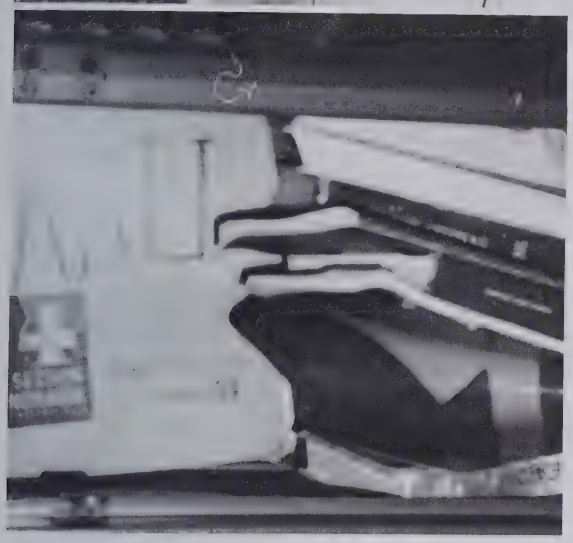

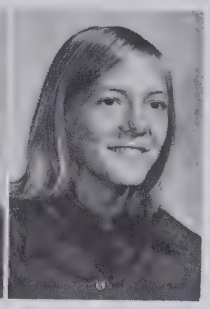

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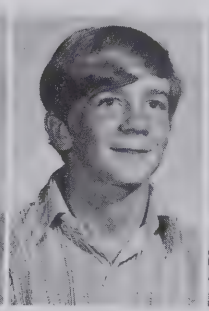

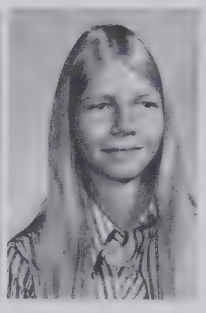

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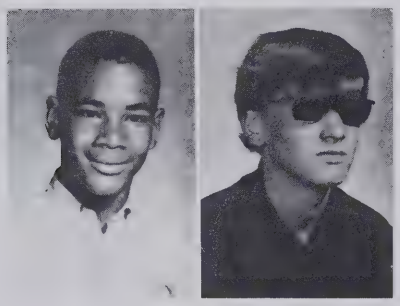

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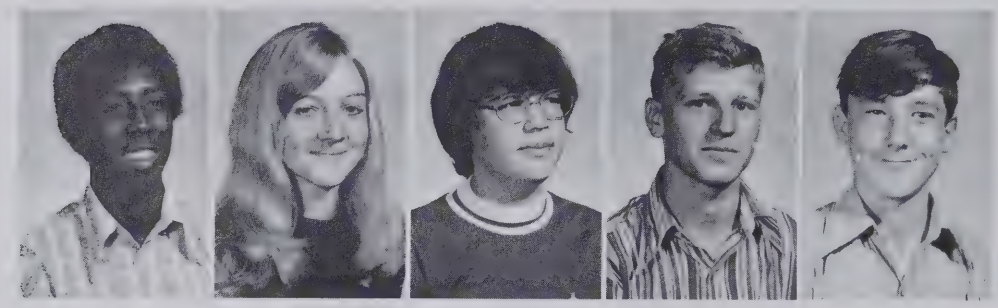

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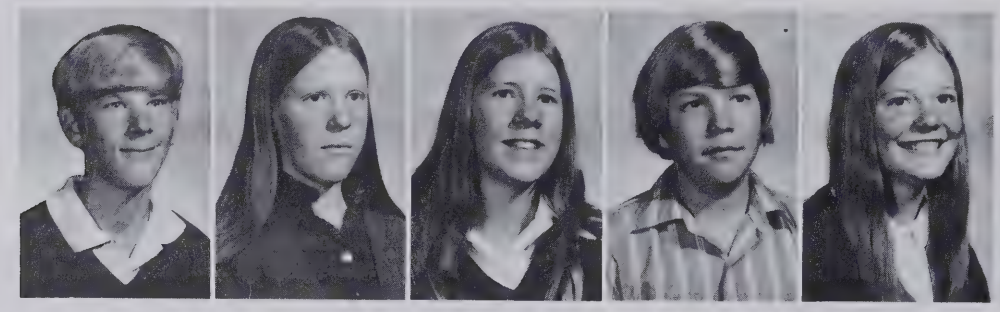

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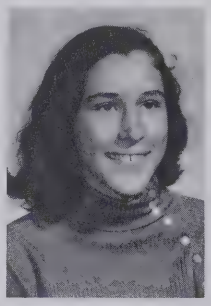

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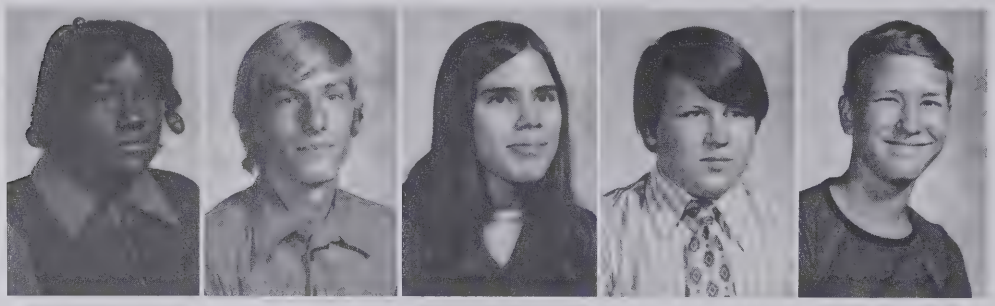

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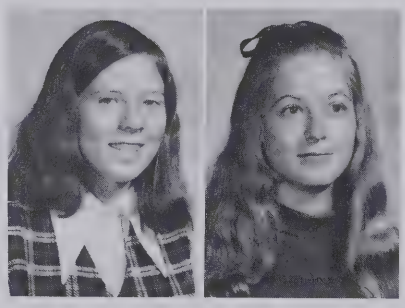

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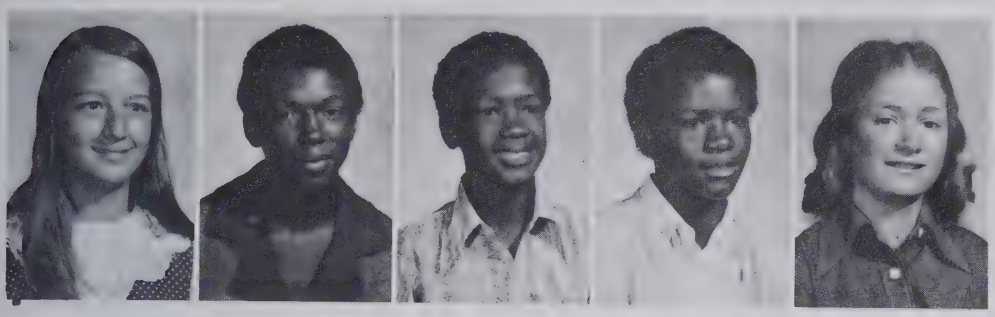

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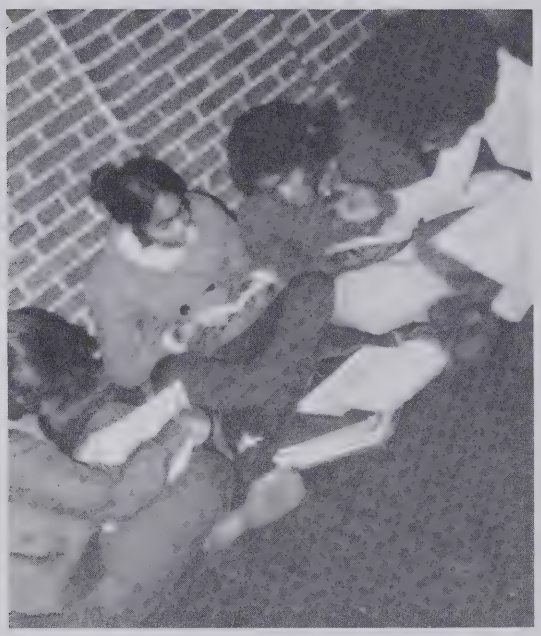

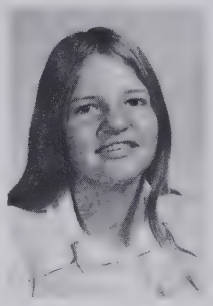

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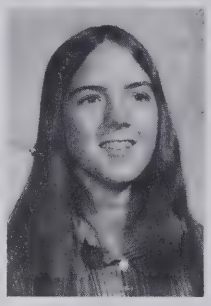

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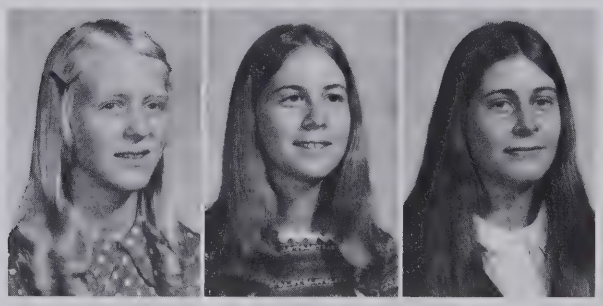

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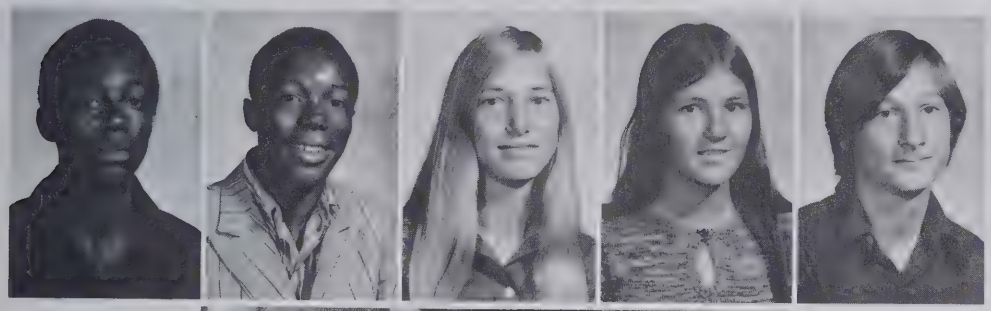

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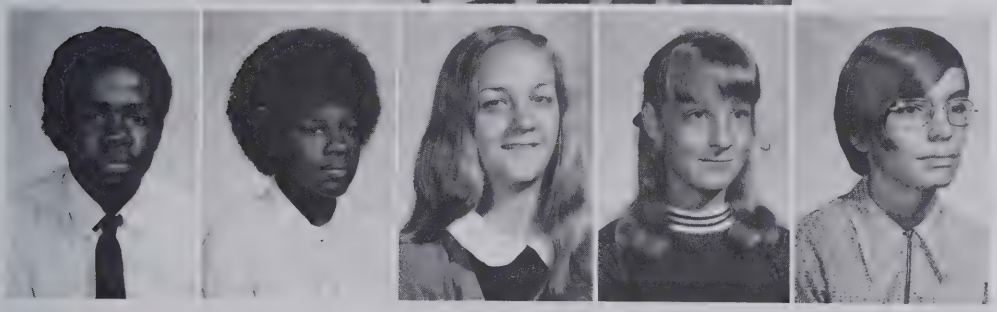

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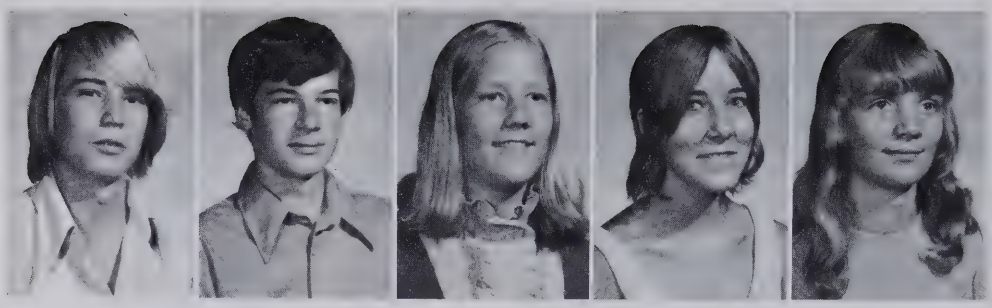

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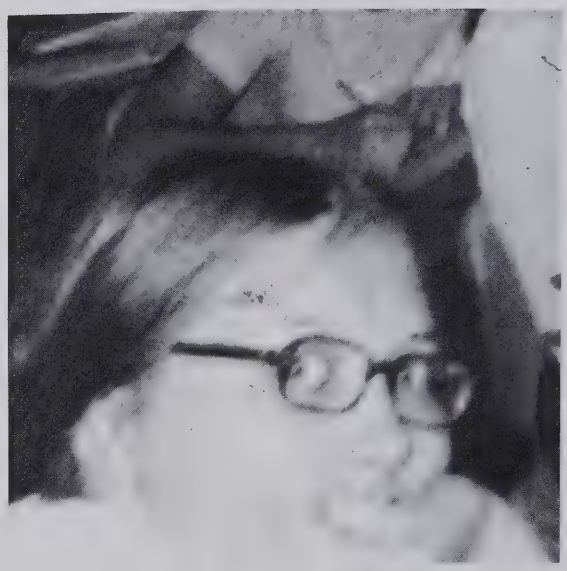

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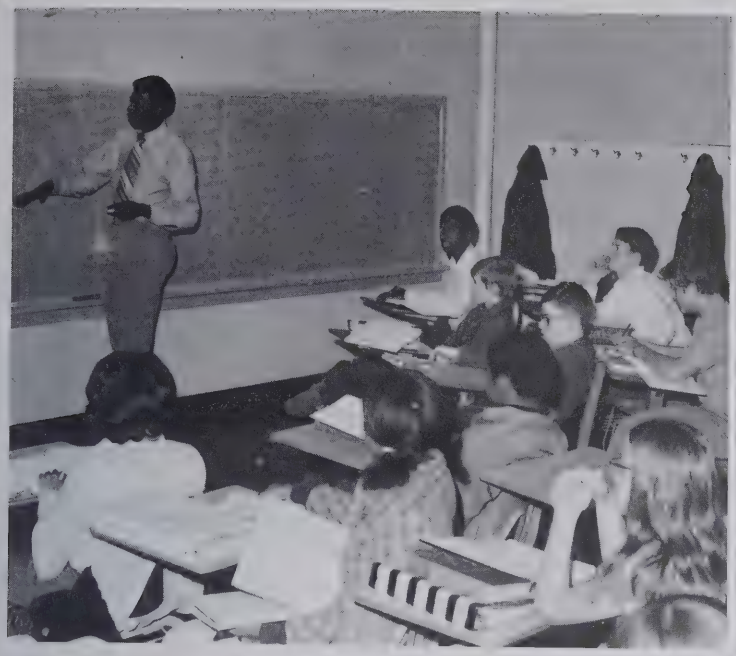


All In
The
Day's Work

MOST POPULAR
Ann Simpson
Randy Clark

BEST LOOKING
Kurt Lindquist
Denise Crisp

Super

NEA TEST
Tim Driscoll
Sandra Feimster

FRIENDLIEST
Mary Alice Beam
Danny St. Louis

MOST ATHLETIC
Jeff Yancey
Karen Greene

MOST SCHOOL SPIRITED
Lee Hester
Charlene Williams

latives

WITTIEST
Betsy Ervin
Calvin O'Neil

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Mike Viso
Debbie Bowles

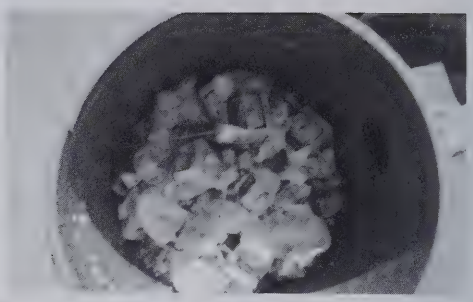
MOST TALENTED
David Crouch
Diane Harrell

BEST ALL AROUND
Mitzi Smith
Warren Clark

Central
Junior Varsity Coach

West Concord Was . . .

Sleeping in classes



Collecting litter

Riding bikes

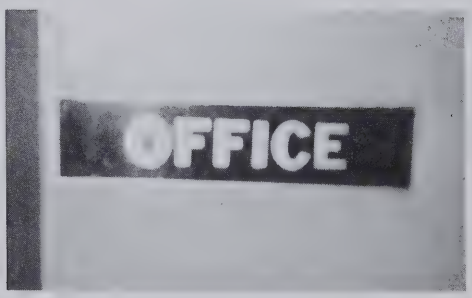
Broken shoulders

Dumpsters

Shaft

Latin banquets

Days in the arena

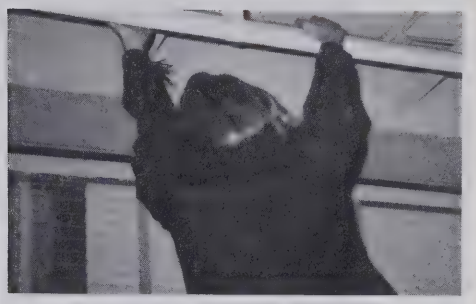


Or perhaps a visit?

A Very Good Year!

Sessions after lunch

Shadows of the past

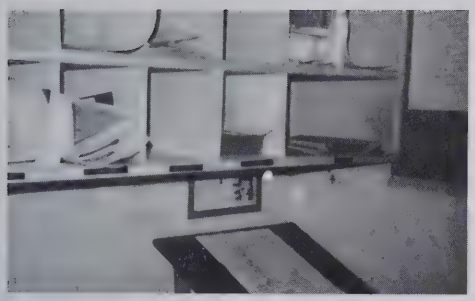


Talents of Tarzan

Strange people

Rap sessions

"Who made the salad?"



No "Male?"

Ravon's crew

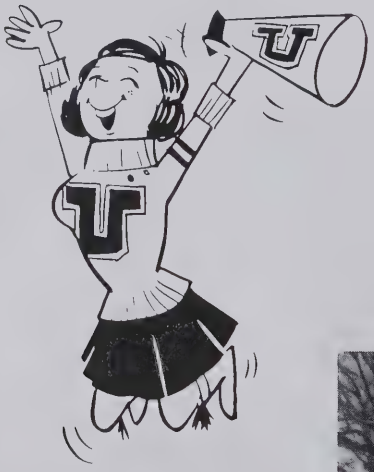
A blast!

And We Loved It All!

Sports

HEAD CHEERLEADER
Ann Simpson

Ky Kenan



Diane Stroupe

Paige McGimsey

Mrs. Rogers - SPONSOR - Ann Simpson

MASCOT - Jenny Kirk

Angela McElrath

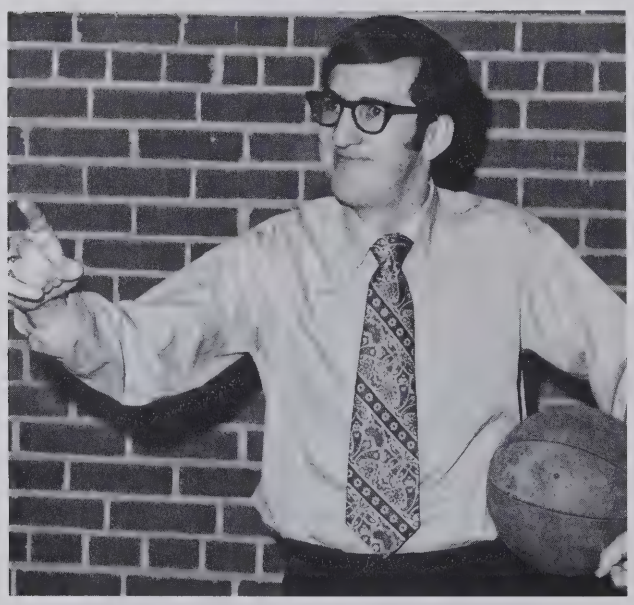
Cheerleaders

Amanda Hamer

Mitzi Smith

Left to right - FRONT ROW: BARBARA ABSHIRE, CHARLENE WILLIAMS. SECOND ROW: NOLA CLARK, KATHY SMITH, KARENE SIGMON, KATHY ALEXANDER, SUGAR HAYWOOD. THIRD ROW: KATHY MICHAUX, DANA RUTHERFORD, DAPHNE WINTERS, ALICE BLAKELY, VANESSA NOGGLE. COACH HARDIN.

Girls' Basketball



COACH Eddie Hardin

Varsity Players

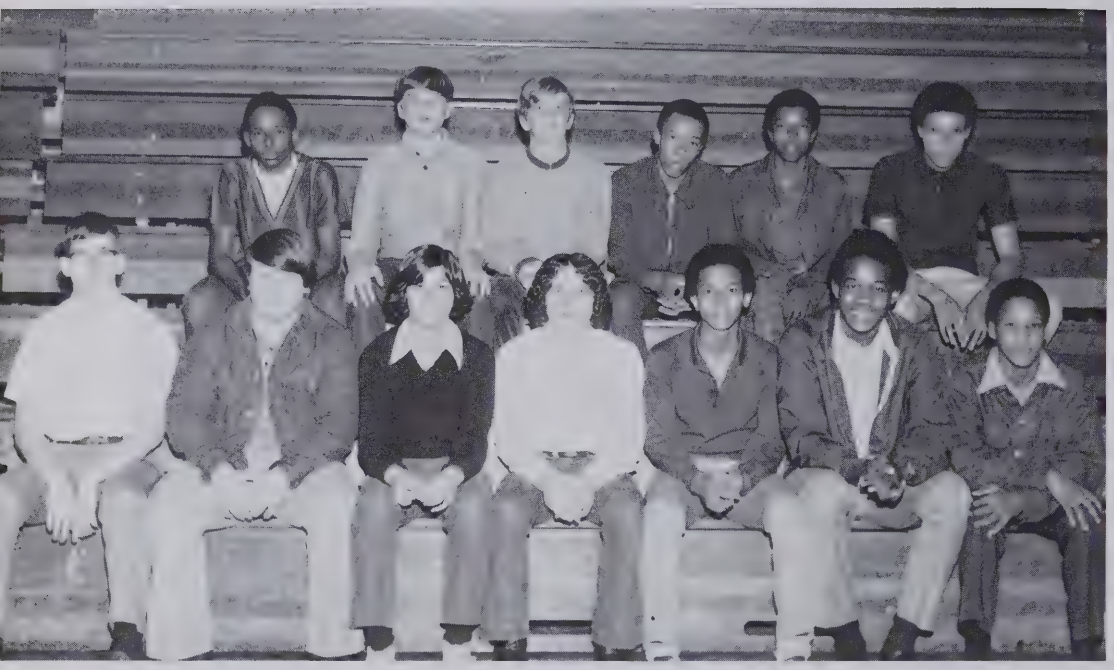
West Concord had three students chosen for Morganton High School varsity squads in 1972. Karen Greene, Jeff Yancey and Cindy Hauser.

Swim Team

Four West Concord students qualified for the Morganton High School Swim Team in 1972.

Henry Browning, Danny St. Louis, Kurt Lindquist and Jay Suttlemyre.

J.V. Football



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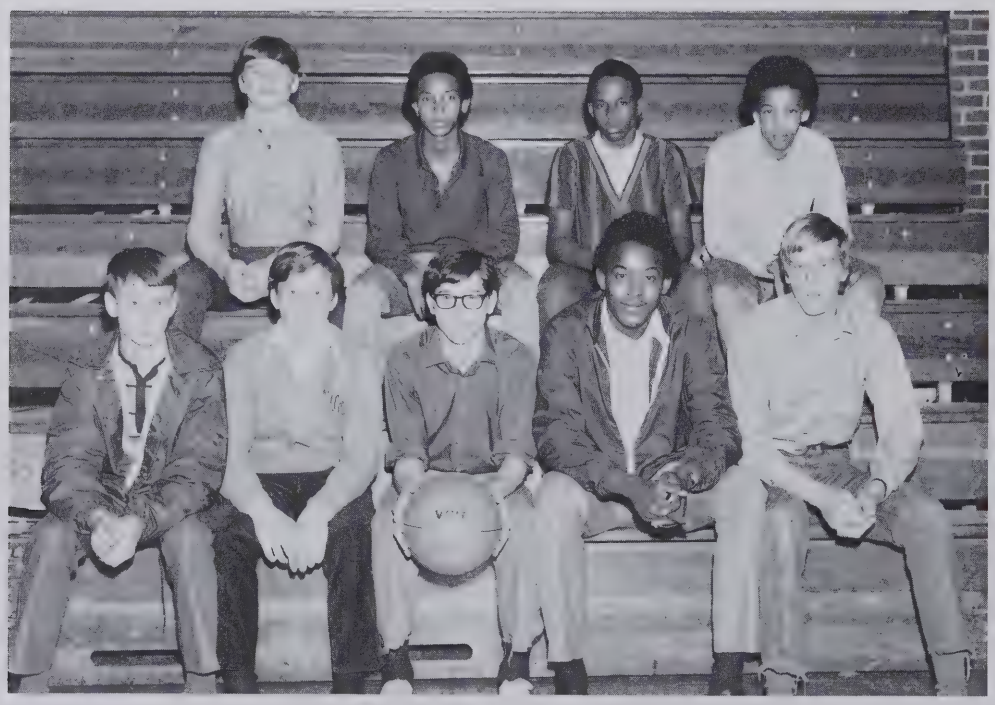
J.V. Basketball



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MORGANTON HIGH SCHOOL

1971-72 Basketball Schedule

Dec. 3	Salem	Home
Dec. 7	Salem	Away
Dec. 10	Watauga	Home
Dec. 14	Taylorsville	Away
Dec. 17	Hudson	Away
Jan. 4	Valdese	Home
Jan. 7	Marion	Away
Jan. 11	Lenoir	Away
Jan. 14	Avery	Home
Jan. 18	Wilkes-Central	Home
Jan. 21	Newton	Away
Jan. 25	Watauga	Away
Jan. 28	Taylorsville	Home
Feb. 1	Hudson	Home
Feb. 4	Valdese	Away
Feb. 8	Marion	Home
Feb. 11	Lenoir	Home
Feb. 15	Avery	Away
Feb. 18	Wilkes Central	Away
Feb. 22	Newton	Home

Doug Simmons, Coach, Boys Varsity, Miss Marsha Cordell, Coach, Girls, John O'Neil, Junior Varsity Coach

Speedball

The Hulks

Left - FIRST ROW: MARY PAT ROCHE, SUGAR HAYWOOD, BETSY ERVIN, KAREN GREENE, BARBARA ABSHIRE, VANESSA NOGGLE. SECOND ROW: CINDY HAUSER, SHARON LOCKRIDGE, KY KENAN, ALICE BLAKLEY, DAPHNE WINTERS.

Organizations

Student Council

OFFICERS: SEATED: MITZI SMITH, PRESIDENT. STANDING: Left to right: MR. HARDIN, SPONSOR. KAREN GREENE, TONY FLANDERS, PAIGE McGIMSEY.

Left to right - SEATED: RICKY CALLAHAN, ANDY COPELAND, KAREN GREENE, TONY FLANDERS, MITZI SMITH, PAIGE McGIMSEY, CHRYLE ERWIN, DIANE HARRELL. STANDING: RONNIE RICHARDS, MARK HORD, KURT LINDQUIST, MR. HARDIN.

OFFICERS: SPONSOR - MRS. SHELTON, LORETTA LARGENT, TRACI TURNER, JOANNE MOORE, DENISE CRISP. SECOND ROW: REBECCA MARTIN, CHRYLE ERWIN, ANGELA McELRATH, KIM FOX, LINDA CAMPBELL.

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Left to right - FIRST ROW: KAREN THOMBS, SHARON ERWIN, REBA BROWN, KÁRENE SIGMON, KIM BONNER, DEBBIE RUSS, REBECCA MARTIN, LINDA HARRILL, MARLENE HUMPHREY. SECOND ROW: ANGELA McELRATH, ROSETTA CORPENING, FRANCES CONLEY, CHRYLE ERWIN, JOANNE MOORE, LORETTA LARGENT, KATHY MICHAUX, DANA RUTHERFORD, DENISE CRISP. THIRD ROW: RHONDA ERVIN, DEBBIE DOBSON, SANDRA SPENCE, SANDRA MULL, LINDA CAMPBELL, JANE EVANS, DEBBIE EARWOOD, KIM FOX, NOLA CLARK, REGENIA LOVELACE. FOURTH ROW: BARBARA McKINNEY, REBA WEBB, JOAN SMITH, A. DIANE STROUPE, FRANCES MAYFIELD, DEBORAH BRASWELL, SANDRA MATHIS, DENISE WILSON, PAT BRANCH, KATHY SMITH.

OFFICERS - Left to right - FRONT ROW: CHARLENE WILLIAMS, KATHY MICHAUX, KAREN THOMBS. SECOND ROW: SHARON ERWIN, CHRYLE ERWIN, JOANNE MOORE.

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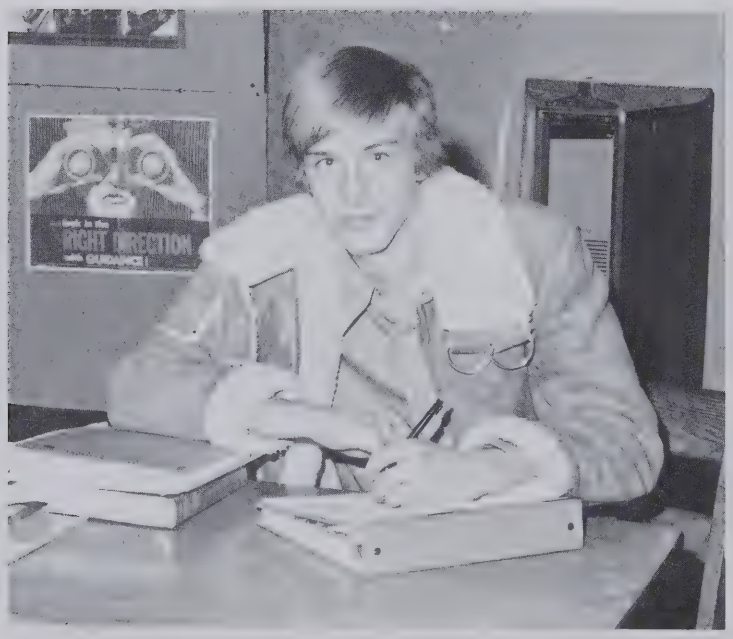

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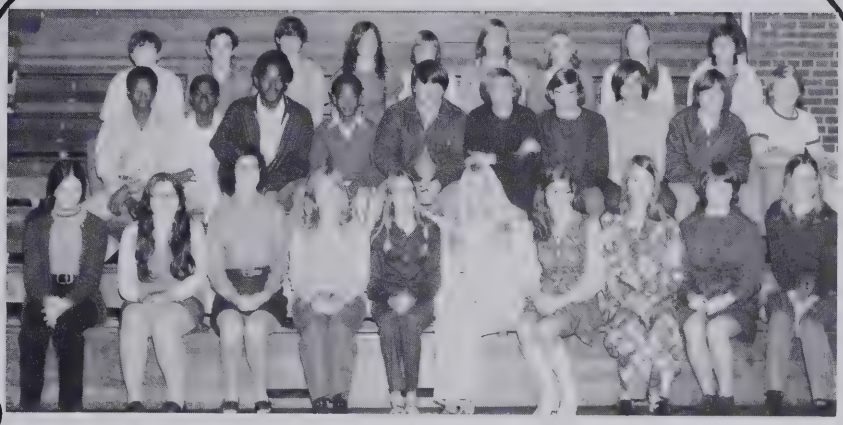

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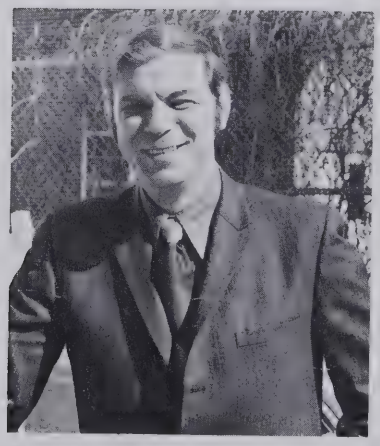

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